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Inmate Death Notification

TUCSON – Inmate Patrick Hoppes, 48, ADC #242119, died from an apparent suicide at an off-site work location. Tucson Fire and Police Departments responded and life-saving measures were performed. The inmate was pronounced deceased at 3:05 p.m.

An investigation will be led by the Department's Criminal Investigation Unit in consultation with the county medical examiner's office.

Hoppes, sentenced out of Maricopa County, was serving nine years and three months for trafficking in stolen property. He came to ADC custody on May 11, 2009 and was housed at ASPC-Tucson.

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